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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Notice of April 11, 200 File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d), a copy of which is enclosed, Applicant encloses herewith the following:

- (1) a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63.
- (2) a check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for filing this Declaration.
- (3) a substitute specification.

If any fees are required in connection with this case, it is respectfully requested that they be charged to Deposit Account No. 02-0184.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e)
  of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
  - The specification cannot be scanned or properly stored. Page(s)
    - o 1-37 do not comply with the size requirements (8 ½ by 11 inches or 21.0 by 29.7 cm). The drawings filed are unacceptable because:

      Replacement page(s), together with a statement that the replacement page(s) contain no new matter, are required.
- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - are not on the correct size paper (see 37 CFR 1.84(f)) The size of the sheets on





which drawings are made must be either 21.0 cm. by 29.7 cm. (DIN size A4) or 21.6 cm. by 27.9 cm (8 ½ by 11 inches);

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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